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SUBJECT: LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING FOR QATARI OFFICERS

1. DURING MY COURTESY VISIT ON SEPTEMBER 3 TO THE CHIEF OF  
POLICE SHEIKH HAMAD BIN JASSIM AL THANI ON THE OCCASION OF EID EL  
FITR, HE ASKED ME TO COME TO THIS OFFICE ON SEPTEMBER 10 FOR HE  
WANTED TO TALK TO ME ABOUT A CERTAIN MATTER IN PRIVATE.

2. ON SEPTEMBER 10 AT 11:00 A.M., I WENT TO HIS OFFICE AND AFTER  
A LENGTHY VISIT ABOUT HOW MUCH HE FAVOURED THE US AND THE  
DEMOCRATIC WAY OF LIFE AMERICANS ENJOY AND HOW MUCH FAITH ALL OF  
QATAR HAD IN PRESIDENT CARTER AND HIS MIDDLE EAST INITIATIVES,  
HE STATED THAT HE HAD A REQUEST TO MAKE OF THE USG.

3. SHEIKH HAMAD STATED THAT HE HAD ABOUT TWENTY (20) OFFICERS IN  
HIS FORCE, ALL UNIVERSITY GRADUATES, THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO SEND  
TO THE US FOR TRAINING. HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE TEN OF THEM ADMITTED  
TO THE FBI ACADEMY AND THE OTHER TEN SENT TO ABOUT FIVE BIG  
CITIES (TWO EACH), I.E., SAN FRANCISCO, CHICAGO, AND THE LIKE  
FOR TRAINING IN DAY TO DAY LAW ENFORCEMENT PROCEDURES,  
ADMINISTRATIVE WORK, RIOT CONTROL, ETC.

4. I TOLD HIM THE EMBASSY WILL BE HAPPY TO ASSIST HIM IN ANY  
WAY WE COULD AND I WILL RELAY HIS REQUEST AND LET HIM KNOW.

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5. EMBASSY REQUESTS DEPARTMENT'S OPINION AND ASSISTANCE IN THIS  
REQUEST. NO TIMETABLE NOR COSTS WERE DISCUSSED DURING THE MEETING.  
SHEIKH HAMAD SEEMED VERY KEEN AND INTERESTED ESPECIALLY IN THE FBI  
TRAINING AND STRESSED THE IMPORTANCE OF WHAT THIS TRAINING MEANT  
TO HIS COUNTRY AND HIS WISHES THAT THESE OFFICERS BE ACCEPTED AT  
THE ACADEMY.

6. THE STATE OF QATAR HAS AT PRESENT SEVERAL OFFICERS IN LANGUAGE  
TRAINING IN THE U.S.  
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